IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PATENT APPLICATION

RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

NOV 1.6 2005

In re Application of:

Amador et al.

Docket: TI-30592.1

Serial No.:

10/731,907

Art Unit: 2822

Filed:

12/08/2003

Examiner: R. Potter

For:

FIXTURE AND METHOD FOR UNIFORM ELECTROLESS METAL DEPOSITION ON

INTEGRATED CIRCUIT BOND PADS

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage for First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 or is being facsimile transmitted on the date indicated below.

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant(s) respectfully petitions the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period in the above-referenced application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

X One Month (\$120)

Please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 20-0668. Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-0668.

Texas Instruments Incorporated P. O. Box 655474 MS 3999 Dallas, TX 75265 (972) 917-5355

Respectfully submitted,

Yingsheng Tung

Attorney for Applicants

11/17/2005 SSESHE1 00000039 200668 10731907

01 FC:1251

120.00 DA